

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE



### Northeast Regional Office/Fisheries Statistics Office Fishery Information Section

Weekly Scup Quota Report (No. 30)

Scup Landings (pounds) for 2000 Summer Quota Period (May-Oct 2000).

		Week	Period	2000	
State	Late	Ending	Cumulative	Summer	Percent
	Entries	29-JUL-00	Total (to date)	Quota	Landed
ME	0	0	0		
NH	0	0	0		
MA	81,965	65,655	202,255		
RI	31,710	13,825	315,752		
СТ	6,672	115	40,108		
NY	18,867	5	161,146		
NJ	44	32	7,147		
DE	0	0	0		
MD	0	0	0		
VA	0	0	400		
NC	0	0	0		
TL	139,258	79,632	726,808	685,628	106.0

#### Notes:

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.

If negative late entries are present on this report, they are the result of corrections made to the database.

For the week ending **29-JUL-00**, 182 dealers held a federal scup permit. Of those 182 dealers, 129 (71%) have submitted a weekly quota report for the current reporting week to the Northeast Regional Office. Because Massachusetts dealers submit weekly quota reports directly to the state, the number of dealers that reported from Massachusetts for week ending **29-JUL-00** were not included in the above percentage of dealers that reported to the Northeast Regional Office.

The following summary is updated as information is received, and may not reflect recent state actions. Readers are urged to contact the appropriate state agency for further information.

## State Information on Scup (2000 Summer Quota Period)

• This table is to be used for informational purposes only, and should not be relied on for state regulations. That information should be attained directly from the individual states.

State/	Closure	Trip/Possession Limits	Other Provisions/	State Contact
Commonwealth	status	(pounds)	Pending Changes	
Maine				Kerry Lyons 207-633-9510
New Hampshire				603-868-1095
Massachusetts	Closed	Effective Saturday, 8/5/2000 through 10/31/2000, commercial fishermen may not fish for, retain, possess, or land scup in waters under the jurisdiction of the Commonwealth or in Massachusetts ports.		Dave Pierce 617-727-3193
Rhode Island		9/15/2000, there is a 100 lb	Beginning 9/16/2000, the possession limit for scup will increase to 1000 lbs.	April Valliere 401-222-3075 401-789-3094
Connecticut	Closed	Effective 0001 hrs on Saturday, 7/15/2000, the commercial harvest or landing of scup in Connecticut will be prohibited.		Colleen Giannini 860-434-6043
New York	Closed	Beginning 0001 hrs on Sunday, 7/16/2000 and ending at 2400 hrs on Saturday, 9/2/2000, no commercial food fish license holder may land any scup from any one fishing trip, defined as beginning when the vessel leaves port and ending when the vessel returns to port.		John Mason 516-444-0453
New Jersey				Tom McCloy 609-292-2083
Delaware				Rick Cole 302-739-4782
Maryland				Harley Speir 410-260-8303

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Virginia		Tina Hutcheson 757-247-8067
North Carolina		Fentress "Red"
		Munden,
		919-726-7021